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## **RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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Applicant has reviewed the Restriction Requirement mailed December 10, 2004, wherein the Examiner has restricted the claims to one of the following inventions under 35 U.S.C. 121:

- I. Claims 1-22 and 31-32, drawn to a method of manufacturing a semiconductor device, classified in class 438, subclass 627.
- II. Claims 23-30 and 33-39, drawn to a semiconductor device, classified in class 257, subclass 4.

Applicants provisionally elect Group I (Claims 1-22 and 31-32) without traverse. Applicant reserves the right to file divisional application(s) on the non-elected claims.

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## Conclusion

Applicant respectfully submits that the claims are in condition for allowance and notification to that effect is earnestly requested. The Examiner is invited to telephone Applicant's attorney at (612) 373-6972 to facilitate prosecution of this application.

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